No. 37.16

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4, 1894.

THIRTY DOLLARS PER ANNUM.

Banks.

THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

BANKERS: CAPITAL & COUNTIES BANK, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE: No. 3, PRINCE'S STREET, LONDON.

BRANCHES; BOMBAY, CALCUTTA, HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI.

AGENCIES: PENANG, SINGAPORE AND YOKOHAMA.

RATES OF INTEREST. LLOWED on CURRENT ACCOUNTS and Fixed Deposits can be ascertained

on application. Every description of Banking and Exchange | fee 30 cents. business transacted. CHANTREY INCHBALD.

- Manager. Hongkong, 6th November, 1803. THE MERCANTILE BANK OF

INDIA, LIMITED. AUTHORISED CAPITAL£1,500,000

BANKERS: LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED.

NTEREST ALLOWED on CURRENT ACCOUNTS at the Rate of a per cent. per annum on the Dally Balance.

> ON FIXED DEPOSITS :-For 12 Months..... per cent.4 р

JOHN THURBURN, Hongkong, 4th February, 1893.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA; LIMITED. Authorised Capital£1,000,000

HEAD OFFICE :--HONGKONG.

Court of Directors:-ChowTung Shang, Esq. D. Gillies, Esq. Chan Kit Shan, Esq. Kwan Hoi Chuen, Esq. H. Stolterioht, Esq. Chief Manager

GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR. Branches.-London, Yokohama, Shanghai and

BANKERS:— The Commercial Bank of Scotland.

Parrs Banking Co., and The Alliance Bank (Ld.)

Interest for 12 months Fixed, 5 per Cent. Hongkong, 16th November, 1893.

Insurances.

THE STANDARD.

ENDOWMENT

ASSURANCE. 1. AMONG THE MANY ADVANT-AGES of this form of Assurance, the

following may be mentioned:-(a)—It secures an immediate Provision for wife and family or other relatives in event of early death,

(b)—It provides a Fund for Retirement. (c)—It supplies an excellent Investment for the regular accumulation of small fixed sums of money. (d)-The Surrender and loan values are

larger than under ordinary Policies. 2. AFTER THE POLICY HAS BEEN THREE YEARS IN FORCEsi tould the Policy-holder wish to discontinue future payments—he will be intitled to receive, on application, a FR'EE PAID-UP POLICY for a propo, tionate amount of the Sum Assure, 1, as explained in the Pros-

pectus. Full particulars on application, DOD. WELL, CARLILL & Co..

SAMBARD LIVE OFFICE. Hongkong, 8th At 1gus, 1893.

N OTIC.

THE MAN ON IT TSURALYCE COMPANY. LIMITED.

The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES OR GOODS, &c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world psyable at any of its Agencies.

HEAD OFFICE, No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WE'T. Hongkong, 24th November, 1893. GENERAL NOTICE.

THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED.)

CAPITAL, TAELS 600,000) \$833,333-33-EQUAL TO RESERVE FUND \$318,000.00. BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

LO YEUR MOON, Esq. LER SING, Esq. LOU TSO SHUM, Esq. MANAGER.—HO AMEL

MARINE RISKS on GOODS, &c., taken

World HEAD OFFICE, 8 & 9, PRAYA WEST? MO Menghong, 17th December, 1885.

Intimations.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

O N and after THURSDAY, the 5th instant, the WATER SUPPLY will be TURNED ON only between the hours of 6 and 9 A.M. each day.

G. T. M. O'BRIEN, Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office,

Hongkong, 3rd April, 1894. HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

SATURDAY, APRIL 7TH, 1894, at 2.45 P.M. COMPETITION for "MARTINI" CUP and SPOONS; Ranges 200, 500 and 600 yards; Five Shots at each distance. Entrance

ARTHUR CHAPMAN, Honorary Secretary.

Hongkong, 3rd April, 1894.

LOST. A T the Theatre Royal, City Hall, on the · night of the 21st instant :-A SILVER-BRAIDED WAISTCOAT.

The finder will oblige by returning them to "THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH" OFFICE.

Hongkong, 20th March, 1804. THE PHARMACY.

TELETCHER-& Co. Dispensing and Retail Chemists, Perfumers, Druggists Sundriesmen and Patent Medicine Vendors.

KEPLER'S MALT\$14.00 KEPLER'S MALT and OIL\$14.00 Manager, Hongkong. | SCOTT'S EMULSION\$13.00 120 SCOTT'S EMULSION.....\$23.00

TOILET ACCESSORIES :--Perfume Bottles, Cut Crystal, Combs, Brushes, Sponges, Sponge Bags, Flesh Gloves and Belts. Perfumes:-Pinaud, Atkinson, Colgate, Rick-

secker and Brown Perfumery Co. Hongkong, 23rd September, 1893. NGAI SHANG.

20. QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. DATTAN FURNITURE of Every Description. CHAIRS, COUCHES, TABLES, BASKETS CHILDREN'S COTS, &c., &c. Latest Patterns, Best Workmanship.

Rattan Core, Split Rattan, Canton Reed and Sundries of all kinds. Houghong, 28th November, 1893.

NOTICE.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL ROTISSERIE will be RE-OPENED on FRIDAY, the 9th instant, under new and experienced manage-

"The STRICTEST ATTENTION will be naid to the CUISINE.

A STAFF of thoroughly trained and specially selected servants has been engaged and will be under the immediate supervision of the Manager. Hongkong, 5th February, 1894.

THOMAS' GRILL ROOMS (Corner of Queen's Road and Duddell Street.)

THE Undersigned has always thought that a such a place as this was the one thing needed to fit in between HOTEL LIFE and the PRIVATE BOARDING HOUSE-providing it be First-class in every detail. A place where one may have his GRILLED CHOP or STEAK at any hour of the Day, up to II P.M.; or later if notice be given. He is also prepared to SUPPLY MEALS to PRIVATE PARTIES per MENU or ORDER—the Parties sending Dishes, &c., for same—and Cash. Scale on

t plication. Monthly Board for One Person...\$35.00 Tiffin\$15.00 AMERICAN FROZEN- OYSTERS always on hand and served in every Style. Breakfast\$0.50

Tiffin\$0.75 Dinner\$1.00 SPECIAL TIFFINS and DINNERS served Excellent Style at short notice.

W. THOMAS,

Proprietor. Hongkong, 3rd May, 1893. BOARD AND RESIDENCE,

No. 1. VICTORIA VIEW, KOWLOOM. MRS. SMITH and Mrs. LEWIS have taken the above admirably situated Establishment from April 1st, where VISITORS

will find every Accommodation at moderate Hongkong, and April, 1894.

PRIVATE BOARD AND RESIDENCE.

LENEALY BUILDINGS. MRS. GILLANDERS.

Hongkong, 22nd November, 1893. F. BLACKHEAD & CO.,

SHIP-CHANDLERS, SAILMAKERS, COAL AND PROVISION MER-CHANTS, WNA VAL: CONTRACTORS AND GENERAL COMMISSION AGENTS,

PRAYA CENTRAL, HONGKONG, SOLB AGENTS FOR

T TART WANN'S RAHTJEN'S GENUINE COMPOSITION. HART NAMN'S GREY PAINT. DAIMLER'S PATENT MOTOR LAUNCHES.

BVBRY KIND OF SHIP'S STORES AND REQUISITES ALWAYS IN STOCK

[974 | Honghong, 14th July, 1855;

Intimations.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS. SHIPS' STORES. WINES, SPIRITS, STOUT, ALE, LIQUEURS.

TEACHER'S "HIGHLAND CREAM" WHISKY.
NAPIER JOHNSTONE'S HIGHLAND WHISKY. ADET SEWARD & Co.'s BORDEAUX WINES, SACCORIES SHERRIES. HENRY THOMSON & Ca's AND JAMESON'S IRISH WHISKIES.
COATES' PLYMOUTH GIN.

HOBOKEN DE BIE & Co. + HOLLANDS. VERMOUTH, RUM, GINGER WINE, CHERRY BRANDY. CIGARS and TOBACCOS.

MANYECRAMYFORD&COK

BREWER. LARGE SELECTION OF NEW TENNIS BATS INCLUDING :-

THE DEMON-Special Champion. Brown Leather Walking Shoes. Champion Tennis Balls and Match Balls. | Patent Leather Evening Shoes, Tennis Shoes, Nets and Poles.

Hongkong, 26th February, 1704

Ball's Story of the Heavens. Bali's In the High Heavens. Gore's-The Visible Universe. Mason's-The Principles of Chess. Hypnotism and the New Witchcraft. Castle's-Schools and Masters of Fence. Denny's Folk Lore of China. New Queen's Regulations. Spons' Mechanics' Own Book. Scaton's and Rounthwaite's Marine Engineering | Hake-Explosives. Rules and Tables.

Dancing Pumps. Macgregor and Calvert's Engineers' Almanack Caw's Fountain and Stylographic Pens. Billiards Simplified. Geddes'-Chapters in Modern Botany. Prince D'Orleans'--- Around Tonquio. Sutton Simmonds' Innocent and Malignant. Strahan-Suicide and Issenity. Squire-Cure and Prevention of Consumption. Roberts-The Earth's History.

Phillips-Metallurgy.

W. BREWER.

Hongkong, 20th March, 1803. CENTRAL HOTEL SHANGHAL

Electric Lighting throughout the Promises.

Telegraphic Address : "CENTRAL SHANGHAL".

THIS long-established SELECT Family Hotel, situated on the Bund, facing the river in the centre of the Settlements, is now fitted with the latest modern improvements, including Bath and Dressing Rooms ATTACHED to Suites and Single Rooms, with hot and cold water laid on. DOUCHE, SHOWER, SPRAYS, etc., and heated to a comfortable temperature during winter. COMMODIOUS RECEPTION ROOM FOR VISITORS.

SEPARATE ROOMS FOR PRIVATE DINNER PARTIES, &-c.

An Assistant attends on Passengers by Mall Steamers. N.B.—Special reduced charges may be arranged for on application to the Manager.

F. E. REILLY,

KELLY & WALSH, LD

BOOKS RELATING TO HORSES AND RIDING.

HAYES' RIDING ON THE FLAT AND Modern Horsemanship, by Anderson.
The Horse: Management in Health an Hayes' Points' of the Horse. Hayes' Veterinary Notes for Horse Owners. Hayes' Soundness and Age of Horses. Hayes' Training & Horse Management in India. Hayes' Illustrated Horse Breaking. The Horsewoman, by Mrs. Hayes. Riding for Ladies, by Mrs. O'Donoghue. Hints to Horsewomen, by Mrs. Allbutt.

The Horse: Management in Health and Disease, by G. Armatage, Riding for Pupils, by "A Pupil." Badminton Riding. Badminton Driving.

BOOKS ON DOGS. Stonehenge on "The Dog." Dogs: a Manual for Amateurs. Our Dogs and Their Diseases.

KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED.

Hongkong, 31st March, 1804.

School Training for Horses, by Anderson.

DAWSON'S PERFECTION OLD SCOTCH WHISKY.

ALLISTON & CO., SOLE AGENTS, Hongkong and the Far East, and 68, Queen's Read Central. ongkong, 11th December, 1803.

THE

HONGKONG HOTEL.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS. "Kremlin "-A. B. C. Code,-TELEPHONE, No. 32.

PROPRIETORS.....THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL—the most commodious and best appointed Hotel in the Far East. affords unequalled accommodation to travellers and others. ... It is situated in the centre of the town, opposite the General Post Office and the Hongkong Club, adjacent to Pedder's Wharf (the principal landing stage of the Colony) and in close proximity to the Benies and Shipping

The HOTEL STEAM LAUNCH conveys passengers and baggage to and from all Mail Steamers. THE TABLE D'HOTE, at separate tables, is supplied with every delicacy, the cuiries being under experienced supervision.

THE EED-ROOMS, with adjoining Bath-rooms, are lofty and well ventilated, open on to spacious Verandahs, are lighted by gas and fitted throughout with electric communicators. The Reading, Writing and Smoking Rooms, Ladies' Drawing Rooms, the new, Bar and public BILLIARD ROOMS (Six English and American Tables) are fitted with every convenience. The WINES & SPIRITS are selected by an Expert and the BEST BRANDS unly are supplied. HYDRAULIC ASCENDING-ROOMS of the latest and most approved type convey : passengers and baggage from the Entrance Hall to each of the five floors above. NIGHT PORTERS and WATCHMEN are continually an duty of the

Honghong, 17th Morember, 1544.

Manager,

R. TUCKERAY (TO

Intimations.

REPARTICÃO DE FAZENDA PROVINCIAL DE MACAU E TIMOR.

T is hereby notified that on the 12th of April prox., about One o'clock in the Afternoon, the Committee appointed by the Royal Decree No. 114 of 11th December, 1891, will receive in this Office, TENDERS for the exclusive privilege of SELLING, MAKING, IMPORTING and EXPORTING GUNPOWDER, SALTPETRE and SULPHUR in MACAU, TAIPA, COLOANE and their dependencies, for the time of Twenty-five Months, commencing on the 1st of June next, and will adjudicate the same to him who bids the highest price, should that be accepted. The terms on which the Contract shall be grounded are public in this Office every useful day from 10 A.M. to 3 P.M. The following Regulations must be observed :-

Tenders shall be delivered to the Committee when the Auction Hall is set open, and fifteen minutes afterwards they shall opened by the same Committee.

Tenders shall be expressed in the following terms and signed by the persons tendering, the sum offered being therein stated :-

a year for the sole privilege of Selling, Making, Importing and Exporting Powder, Saltpetre and Sulphur in Macau, Taipa, Coloane and their dependencies, and submit myself to the terms which are public in the Office of the Fazenda Provincial.

Macau, 12th of April, 1894. (Signature)....."

No Tender will be received out of the time set hereinbefore, and that which is expressed in different form will not be considered.

Tenderers must, in the act of delivering their tenders, produce a receipt to the effect that they have deposited in the Colonial Treasury the sum of \$500, as a pledge of the bond fides of their offer, which sum shall be returned to the tenderers who have not succeeded, as soon as the Auction is over. Should the successful tenderer refuse to sign the Contract or fail to make up immediately the amount of one third of the Annual price for which the adjudication is made to him, the sum he has deposited shall be forfeited to the Farenda.

The Tenders, as soon as the time fixed by Regulation I is over, shall be opened by the Committee and read aloud, and the adjudication shall forthwith be granted to the tenderer who has offered the highest price.

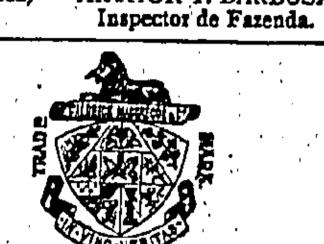
The Committee reserve to themselves the following rights :-(a.)-To make any alteration in the terms public in this Office until the roth of April prox., up to 3 o'clock P.M.

(b.)—To proceed to verbal bidding, in the event of there being two equal tenders at the highest price. In such case, only the signers of these tenders are allowed to bid. (c.)—To withhold the adjudication if they think the highest tender not suitable.

The adjudication is definite and therefore the Contract shall be made immediately after it has been made.

In case that the adjudication is not made, another Auction will take place on the 19th of April at the same hour and place, the same regulations being fully observed. Repartição de Fazenda Provincial de Macan e Timor, em 20 de Marco de 1894.

ARTHUR T. BARBOSA. (Signed)



CALDBECK, MACGREGOR & Co.,

WINE and SPIRIT MERCHANTS. HONGKONG, SHANGHAI, LONDON AND

GLASGOW. 13, Queen's Road, Hongkong, 24th August, 1803.

. W. KEW & CO.'S STEAM WATER BOATS. PURE FRESH WATER.

THE attention of SHIPOWNERS, AGENTS and CAPTAINS is called to the Superior Quality of TYTAM FILTERED WATER offered by J. W. KEW & Co., also to the advantages derived from their being able to Supply their Water in one-fourth the time occupied by the old fashioned and obsolete hand pumps.

No impeding the loading or discharging of

Call flag "W," Commercial Code. J. W. KEW & Co., c/o Carmichael & Co., Ld.

Masonic.

Hongkong, oth March, 1804.



VICTORIA PRIORY. REGULAR MEETING of the Victoria Priory will be held TO-MORROW, the 5th April, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited to attend. Hongkong, 30th March, 1804.

DISTRICT GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER OF HONGKONG AND SOUTH CHINA,

THE FOURTH ANNUAL CONVOCA "TION of the DISTRICT GRAND CHAPTER of HONGKONG AND SOUTH CHINA, will be held in the MASONIC HALL, Zetland Street, Hongkong, on THURSDAY, the 26th instant, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely.

Honghong, 3rd April, 1894.

Shipping.

STEAMERS.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND FOOCHOW. THE Company's Steamship

"NAMOA,"

Captain Harris, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 5th instant, at Day-

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. General Managers. Hongkong, 4th April, 1894.

FOR NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL THE Steamship "PATHAN" Captain Wright, will be despatched for the above

Port on or about the 4th Ap. II. To be followed by the Steamship "PORT PHILLIP," carly in May,

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL CARLILL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 24th March, 1804. T238-371

"SHELL" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR LONDON, BREMEN AND

HAMBURG.

"SPONDILUS," Captain N. Hocken, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about the 5th April. For Freight or Passage, apply to SHEWAN & Co.,

Hongkong, 30th March, 1804. EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAM-

SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. (Calling at PORT DARWIN and QUEENSLAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to ADELAIDE, NEW ZEALAND,

TASMANIA, &c.) THE Steamship

THE Steamship

"AIRLIE," Captain Ellis, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 6th April, at Daylight. This well-known Steamer is specially fitted for Passengers, and has large Cooling Chambers, thus ensuring a supply of Fresh Meat, Ice, &c., throughout the voyage. A duly quali-fied Surgeon is carried.

For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Hongkong, 27th March, 1804.

SAILING VESSELS. FOR NEW YORK.

THE 3/3 L. I. L. American Bark "EDWARD MAY," McClure, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Co. Hongkong, 17th March, 1894.

Consignees. "MOGUL" LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S. S. "GHAZEE,"

FROM LIVERPOOL AND STRAITS. ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their

risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves dellvery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless

notice to the contrary be given before 3 P.M.

TO-DAY. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 10th instant, will be subect to rent. All claims against the Steamer must be pre-sented to the Undersigned on or before the 10th

instant, or they will not be recognised. All broken, chased, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 10th instant, at 3 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, 3rd April, 1894.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE. ONSIGNEES of CARGO per Steamship "CITY OF RIO DE JANEIRO." The above Steamer having arrived, Consignees

Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and

of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their

expense. J. S. VAN BUREN, Hongkong, 2nd April, 1894.

NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. STEAMSHIP "VICTORIA,"

FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOKOHAMA

AND KOBE. THE above Steamer having arrived, Consig-I nees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for Countersigns. ture, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co. veodia, Hongkong, agth March : 1894;

Intimations.

DR. FENWICK'S FOOD

NURSING MOTHERS and INFANTS

DYSPEPTICS I'AND INVALIDS.

ALSO FOR

T is specially recommended as an article of diet for NURSING MOTHERS as it will

strengthen and support them and at the same time enrich the Natural! Milk and increase the Supply.

INFANTS FED on this Food put on fiesh rapidly.

In two and sixpenny and one and sixpenny bottles at \$1.10 and 70 Cents.

AGENTS IN HONGKONG:

DAKIN CRUICKSHANK & COMPANY, LIMITED,

VICTORIA DISPENSARY. Hongkong, 12th January, 1894.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.

WINES AND SPIRITS.

On and after the 1st April, 1894, the Prices of our WINES and SPIRITS will be as follows:-PORT.

(For Invalids and general Use.)

B Vintage, superior quality, Red Fine 1 ld Vintage, superior quality, Black Seal Capsule D Very Fine Old Vintage, extra superior, Violet Capsule

(Old Bottled) Port after removal should be rested for a month before use. Wine required for drinking at once should be ordered to be decanted at the Dispensary before sent out. These wines are too well known to need comment.

Sample bottles and smaller quantities will be supplied at proportionate wholesale rates. We only guarantee our Wines and Spirits to be genuine when bought direct from us in the Colony, or from our authorised Agents at the

Coast Ports. SHERRY

B Superior Pale Dry, dinner

Per daren Case.

wine, Green Seal Capsule. \$10.80 C Marzanilla, Pale Natural Sherry, White Capsule ... CC Superior Old Dry, Pale Natural Sherry, Red Scal Capsule 12.00 D Very Superior Old Pale Dry, choice Old Wine, White Seal Capsule..... E Extra Superior Old Pale Dry, very finest quality. Black

Sall Capsule (Old Bottled) B. C. and C C are excellent dinner wines or for invalids and delicate stomachs. D and E are after dinner wines of a very superior vintage. All are true Xeres wines.

Sample bottles and smaller quantities will be supplied at proportionate wholesale rates. We only guarantie our Wines and Spirits to 1 be genuine when hought direct from us in the Colony, or from our authorised Agents at the

Coast Ports. CLARET St. Estephe, Red Capsule \$ 6.96 7.56 St. Julien, Red Capsule 9.00 9.60 D La Rose, Red Capsule...... 12 96 13.92 Sainte Foy...... 7,20 7.92 | Cussac 9.60 10.44 Cha ean d'Anglade 13.20 14.40 Cha eau Haut Bilon Larrivet 18.60 19.20

Ct a cau Mouton 'd'Armailhatq' 21.00 22.20 Our Clarets, including the lowest priced, are guiranteed to be"the genuine product of the juice of the grape, and are not artificially made from relains and currents, as is generally the case with cheap wines. Sample bottles and smaller quantities will be

supplied at proportionate wholesale rates. We only guarantee our Wines and Spirits to be genuine when bought direct from us in the Colony, or from our authorised Agents at the

Coast Ports. H O C-K. t dos. e dos. Rudeshelmer...... 21.00 -Hockheimer 24 00 -BURGUNDY.

Chabile, white wine...... 15.00 ---Mentsault, superior white wine 18.00 --Volnay, very superior red wine 21.00 22.20

MADEIRA AND CHAMPAGNE, application. BRANDY.

Hennessy's Old Pale, Red Capsule \$14.40 Superior Very Old Cognac, Red Capsule Very Old Liqueur Cognic ... Hennessy's Finest Very Old Liqueur Cognac, 1872 Vinta- e. Red Capsule E Finest Very Old Liqueur Cognac, 1862 Vintage..... 48.00 All our Brandy is guaranteed to be pure Cognac, the difference in price being merely a question of age and vintage.

Sample bottles and smaller quantities will be supplied at proportionate wholesale rates. We only guarantee our Wines and Splilts to be genuine when bought direct from us in the Colony, or from our authorised Agents at the

Coast Ports.

WHISKY. SCOTCH-A Thorne's Blend, White Capsule..... \$10.80 B Watson's Glenorchy Mellow Blend, Blue Capsule with Name and Trade Mark ... C Watson's Abelour-Glenlivet. Red Capsule with Name and Trade Mark 12.00 D Watson's HKD Blend of the

Finest Scotch Malt Whiskles, Violet Carsule...,,,,, Watson's Very Old Liqueur Scotch Whisky, Gold Cap-

BUID. the market. We recommend our customers not | kerd at Pokiulum.

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to be deterred by the lowness of price from trying them all. For a soda-whisky, Thorne's Blend and Watson's Glenorchy are equal to any. Abelour-Glenlivet is a very old Peat Whisky, | Colony. that could not be replaced in stock at the price. D and E are too well known to need comment. IRISH-

A John Jameson's Old, Green Capsule B John Jameson's Fine Old,

Green Capsule C John Jameson's Very Fine Old, Green Capsule All these are very fine and old. Chas been stocked in Hongkong in wood for 20 years, there being little sale for Irish Whisky in the Colony.

AMERICAN-Perderes Case. Genuine Bourbon Whisky. Fine Old, Red Capsule, with our Name and Trade

Mark \$15.00 Sample bottles and smaller duantities will be supplied at proportionate wholesale rates. We only guarantee our Wines and Spirits to be genuine when bought direct from us in the Colony, or from our authorised Agents at the Coast Ports.

Fine Old Tom, White Capsule \$ 7.20 B Fine Unsweetened, White RUM.

Finest OldelJamaica, Violet Good Leeward Island Good Leeward Island...\$2.50 per Gallon.

Sample bottles and smaller quantities will be supplied at proportionate wholesale rates. We only guarantee our Wines and Spirits to be genuine when bought direct from us in the Colony, or from our authorised Agents at the Coast Ports.

LIQUEURS. Maraschino. Benedictine, Heering's Cherry Cordial Curaços, Chartreuse, Dr. Siegert's Angostura Bitters, &c.

PRICES ON APPLICATION.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LD HONGKONG DISPENSARY. Hongkong, 30th March, 1894.

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS.

TOM AND AFTER THE 1st OF JANUARY,

1894, THE SUBSCRIPTION TO "THE HONG-KONG TELEGRAPH" WILL BE THIRT DOLLARS PER ANNUM, OR TWO DOLLARS AND A HALF PER MONTH.

ALL SUBSCRIPTIONS MUST BE PAID IN ADVANCE.

On the 3rd instant, at Stewart Terrace, Peak, the wife of G. A. CALDWELL, of a son.

Monakona Aelearank.

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4, 1894.

PLEURO-PNEUMONIA AT THE DAIRY FARM.

In our issue of Saturday last we called attention to the exceedingly disagreeable fact that a report was current in the colony, substantially supported, to the effect that the establishment of the Dairy Farm Co., Ld., at Pok-fu-lum, was tainted with that fatal disease to cattle, pleuro-pneumonia. Our local contemporaries, although perfectly well aware of the absolute accuracy of our statements, maintained the usual discreet reserve which for years past has in nearly all important matters affecting the interests of the general public the interests of the masses (the Hongkong community) against those of 'the the few hybrid dummies who support toadyism and subserviency by advertising in the Daily Press and China, Mail with other people's money and consider themselves the litte of creation-, been their colourless policy. No. 1165, E.C., will be held in the Freemasons' but anyway, make money." These may not be the great satirist's exact words, still THE steamer Thaipeng was sold by auction at they convey his meaning and illustrate our | Penang on the 20th ulto., for \$15,000, to Captain Full particulars of the various Brands on argument clearly enough. But for the Ah Quee. The steamer being under charter, As these companies are so off-hand in their Hongkong Telegraph the community would accounted for the comparatively small sum not have known that a dangerous disease, burlesque known as the Sanitary Board and Mr. John KEANEDY's very proper and of twenty lives, besides a number of severely sensible letter to the Colonial Secretary wounded. fell like a bombshell in the camp of the OUR Shanghai morning contemporary says that colony's welfare. The following correspondence speaks for itself:—

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE. Hongkong, 28th March, 1894. Sir,-I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 26th instant, and in reply have to inform you that it has been referred to the Sanitary Board.

Yours, etc., G. T. M. O'BRIEN. Colonial Secretary.

J. Kennedy, Esq.

SANITARY BOARD ROOM Hongkong, 30th March, 1894. Sir. In reply to your letter, No. 425 of the 28th instant, enclosing a communication from Mr. J. Kennedy upon the subject of the outbreak of cattle disease at Pokiglum, I have the honour, by direction of the Sanitary Board, to inform you that the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon has Our lowest priced Whisky is of excellent | officially notified the appearance of cases of

I am to add that the Board is keenly alive to the fact that every precaution must be taken to see that suspicious or injected cases are proposly dealt with; to prevent the spread of the contagion to other herds; and generally to safeguard the interests of owners of cattle in the

Yours, etc., EDWARD A. RAM. Acting Superintendent. Secretary.

Hongkong, 31st March, 1894. Sir,-With reference to my letter, No. 426 of the 28th inst., I am directed to transmit to you, for your information, the enclosed copy of a letter from the Secretary to the Sanitary Board.

Yours, etc., G. T. M. O'BRIEN.

Colonial Secretary. . Kennedy, Esq. The first question suggested by the foregoing letters is—what is the use of a Sanitary Board (so-called) which, in a matter of such grave importance, knows absolutely nothing until the attention of the Government has been directed to it from outside sources? We do not hesitate to say that the Sanitary Board as at present constituted is a second-class Punch and existence: for all practical purposes it is absolutely worse than useless. On the 30th of March-eight days after pleuropneumonia was known to have attacked the Dairy Farm Co.'s cows at Pok-fu-lum, the experienced Acting Superintendent (late Granny Sharp's clerk) had honour of informing the Colonial Secretary -what the Hon, Mr. O'Brien had been advised by Mr. John Kennedy, of the Horse Repository, four days previously-"that the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon had officially notified the appearance of cases of pleuro-pneumonia in the Dairy Farm Co.'s herd at Pok-fu-lum." Why was this information not conveyed, to the Government before Mr. KENNEDY's letter was sent to the wiseacres of the Sanitary Board? Pleuro made its appearance at Pok-fu-lum on, March 22nd, if not before that date: it was decidedly pronounced to be pleuro by cattle experts who visited the Veterinary Surgeon, and yet it was not until March 30th that the Secretary or Acting Superintendent or whatever he is,

And moreover, if the Sanitary Board is "keenly alive to the fact that every precaution must be taken to see that suspicious or infected cases are properly know what safeguarding precautions have actually been taken. Have the cattle landed from the Australian steamer Guthrie been strictly segregated? Has moving cattle from one part of colony to another district been strictly Is it safeguarding the interests of owners of cattle in the colony to allow dead cows-dead the roads in the vicinity of the Race-course and East Point, without inspection or supervision of any kind? Is not the Sanitary Board, its methods, its assumption of powers which are a mere farce, its claims to represent anybody or anything, and its shoddy surroundings, a complete fraud on a gullible community? The a liberal Government threw them a brick. And the end of it all is that the philanthropic Dairy Farm is reported to be anxious to be taken over by the Govern-

communicated with the Colonial Secretary.

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ment, on the most liberal terms obtainable

H.M.S. Peacock arrived at Singapore from Bangkok on March 27th.

THE Chief Justice, with Lady Fielding Clarke. went home by the French mail to-day on seven months' leave.

THE total number of torpedo boats in the Japanese Navy at the end of last year was seventeen, with an aggregate tonnage of 1,010, Companies, having managed by private interest and horse-power, 8,695.

An Emergency meeting of Perseverance Lodge, "Make money," said Pops in one of his Hall, Zetland Street, this evening, at 8.30 for 9 great inspirations, "honestly if you can, o'clock precisely. Visiting brethren are cordially

Per dozen Case. likely enough to wipe out every head tof THE P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamer China, which patronize a certain coalowner of Kyushu instead, cattle in the Colony, had been at work since | left Hongkong on March 7th for San Francisco, about the 22nd of February; although the via Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea, Yokohama immaculate nonentities of that dismal and Honolulu, arrived at her destination on the

had been chin-wagging and writing more IT is reported in Japanese papers that on the or less idiotic minutes and playing the 13th ulto. a serious fire broke out in the Shionew goat generally all the time. Our remarks | coal mine, at Fukuoka, resulting in the loss

Philistines and renegade Jews, and pro- some forty thousand cases of tank oil ex Blax duced results which can only tend to the had been sold by Messrs. Arnhold, Karberg & Co. at Tls. 1.25 on March 30th, and that a higher price was being asked.

THE Bulletin says that the most brutal libel yet directed against a N.S.W. civil servant appears in Sydney Truth !—" Mr. A. C. Fraser, Secretary for Justice, better deserves a C.M.G.-ship than many of his official contemporaries."

"God Save the Outen" and "Rule Britannia" on her way to the Far Keet.

Jiggles-What is the profession you admire the most? Old Soak-A whisky chan-szee!

Another Sydney newspaper is reported to have presented its staff with a 10 per cent. reduction and the U.S.S. Petrel fired a parting salute. as a New Year's gift.

Ar Singapore on the 27th ulto. Mr. Song Ong | the Lincolnshire Regiment will proceed from the Siving was admitted an advecate and solicitor The Hon. G. T. M. O'Belen, C.M.G., Colonial of the Supreme Court of the Straits Settlements,

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE. with a powerful company, performed "Forget | Malta. Mc Not " in the Town Hall, Penang, on the night of March 20th.

hospitals, 378.

man gunboat Wolf has received orders to pro- have recently advocated the revival of lotteries ceed home in the autumn vid the Suez Canal. for the purpose of raising funds with which to Comic song "Timothy Titus".......Mr. Evans. Judy show which has never justified its Half of her relief crew left Fremerbaven on the preserve celebrated buildings and scenery in the Song "John Barleycorn".......Mr. Blanchard. 28th Instant. She will be relieved by a new and | country. He argues that people will gamble in fast cruiser. The Wolf will proceed to Hankow for the tea season,

> ACCORDING to the vernacular paper Nippon. Ichlkawa Danjuro, the leading Japanese actor, has lately been playing at the Kabuki-za and the Meijl Theatre, on a contract for yen 3,500 and yen 5,000 The run is only for twentyfive days, so he is making at present an income of yen 300 per day.

> THE supply of water to the general public is according to a notification published in another column, to be reduced on and after to-morrow, the 5th instant, to three hours! flow per diem. between the hours of 6 and 0 a.m. It is to be hoped that the three hours' supply will be more regular than has been the alleged four hours' daily supply during the past fortnight.

A JAPANESE contemporary says there is project on foot for the founding of a Slamese language school in Tokyo; to publish a journal devoted to social, political, and economic questions in which Japan and Siam are mutually Company's byres and by the Colonial Interested; to establish a Society that shall investigate agricultural, commercial, and manufacturing topics that concern the two countries and to form a collection of Siamese mercantile goods in Tokyo or Osaka, and of Japanese goods in Hankoku (? Bangkok).

THE following appears in the first number of Jerome K. Jerome's new paper, To-Day: "The Bishop of Calcuita was recently complimented dealt with," etc., etc., we should like to by a French lady on the beautiful service of the Anglican Church. 'It is indeed beautiful, Madame, bowed the Bishop, 'And sympathique. One part do always touch where you pray for us, zo poor governess.' 'For governesses, madame I not specially, I think? Oh yes, in se litany, you pray always for se poor. women labouring with child."

REPRESENTATIVES of French shipping are about to call upon the French Government to devise new measures for the protection of French shippresumably from pleuro-to be openly owners. They declares that the French shipping carried through the public streets to trade "is being crushed by English, German, be buried at Causeway Bay? Is it wise American, and even Belgian and Dutch Compolicy to allow herds of buffaloes and panies." We beg the pardon of our French Chinese-owned cattle to roam at will along Irlends, says the N. Y. Maritime Register, but Americans have done none of this crushing. We are auxious here also for the introduction measures that will prevent our own shipping from being "crushed."

AT the Police Court yesterday af ernoon Mr. Wodehouse heard further evidence in the opium case reported in our previous issue. Leung Tsai, the carge-boatwoman arrested by Constable Pepper on the 21st ulto., said that four chests of Hongkong taxpayers asked for bread, and lopium were taken possession of by the police shortly after 5 p.m., and that they deliberately broke open the chests. When arrested she was conveying the drug to the Opium Farmer's boiling-down establishment at Bowrington. The reason why her boat had no number painted on it was attributable to the fact that her craft was brand-new. Her husband was not on board when the seizure was effected, and she was therefore in charge of the oplum at the time. She produced a delivery note received from the Farm which was addressed to the manager of the menopolisi's establishment at Bowrington. The case was then adjourned till to-morrow

> SAYS the Fagan Gazettes:—In connection with the revival of the coal trade in this country, the Hochs gives extraordinary news. The Mitsu Blibi and the Hokkaldo Colliery Railway to obtain openings for their coals and by severe competition forced the small coal-owners of Kyushu to close their collieries, are now so confident of their prosperity that they refuse to make any reduction in their charges, as they believe that silver depreciation gives them unprecedented advantages over foreign coal-owners, even setting aside the consequences of the late coal strike in England. treatment of their customers, the Hochi continues, several manufacturers of Tokyo sgreed not to purchase any more coal from them, but to with whom they are said to have already made a contract: On Saturday afternoon, the manufactures and other coal-users of Tokyo are rumoured to have held a private meeting to make a final decision on the matter. If they all agree in the boycotting of the two companies, the latter's business, concludes the Hocks, will suffer considerably.

LEUNG KAN-CHO, who claims to be a Chinese passage broker, was again brought before Mr. Wodehouse at the Magistracy this morning, charged with cheating the partners of the Tong Ki hong and the master of the passenger junk Kum Sing out of \$2,200 on the 28th February. One of crew of the junk in question said be remembered arriving in Hongkong with at passengers who were to be transferred to one of the steamers running to America. The defendant was introduced to him and said in his presence that he could procure the tickets required and would get the American Consul to sign to the THE homeward-bound pennant was holsted on | necessary documents. He also said he knew all board H.M.S. Imperiouse this morning and the Customs officers in America. The cost of amidst the firing of crackers, the strains of the each ticket would be \$70, \$40 would be the flagship's band which played a few bars of the amount of Consular fees to be paid for each ever popular song "The Girl I Left Behind Me," passenger and \$30 would be required for expenses upon arrival in America. He further the stately ironclad's anchor was weighed and stated that his passengers need not "pass" at at 1.30 she steamed slowly through the harbour | the Harbour Office; they could be taken straight to the eastward, passing the Victor Emanuel, on board. Upwards of \$2,000 were advanced Tamar, Severe and U. S. S. Petrel, with which | to defendant to put the business through, but he vessels ringing cheers and three-times-three failed to complete the contract and had not over and over again were heartily exchanged, returned the money advanced. Eight of the swain of the Naval Yard, was elected and then proceeded to sea through the Ly-ce- passengers referred to had never been in the President, in place of Mr. G. South, R.N.; settlers in Paraguay continues to develop. moon Pass. The Imbletieuse is bound direct to | United States, but 13 had resided there some | Mr. Hooper hon. secretary, in place of Mr. | Three members have been summarily excelled Slogapore, where Admiral Freemantle's flag will time ago. This case, in which Mr. C. D. Wingent | and Mr. Hawking hon, treasurer, in from the settlement, and seventcen is milits are outlity and of greater age than most brands in plent of pneumonia in the Dalry Farm Company's betransferred to the battle-ship Centurion, now Wilkinson prosecuted and Mr. J. V. Recce place of Mr. Smith. The retiring officers were leaving voluntarily, believing the scheme to be

Mme. Lemaire, left for Europe in the French mail to-day. The American Minister also sailed

THE Singapore Advertiser understands that Straits direct to England before the next trooping season, probably in September. It is now sixteen years since the battallon came abroad, MRS. Jas. Brown Potter and Mr. Kyrle Bellew, it having left England in 1878 to proceed to

BARON VON DER GOLTZ, Interpreter to the German Legation at Peking, shortly proceeds home DURING the week ended the 10th March, 54 on leave. His place will be taken by Dr. small-pox cases and 17 deaths were reported in Franke, at present Interpreter to the German Kagoshima, while there were 153 cases and 41 | Consula'e-General at Shangbal. Dr. Franke deaths in Yamanashi, and 48 cases and 13 will be succeeded in Shanghai by Dr. Forke, deaths in Shizuoka during the week ended the now Interpreter to the German Consulate, Amoy.

A CERTAIN clique of West End girls in London, | Song "I dreamt I dwelt in marble halls " ... THE following is a return of physicians, chemists, says Tit-Bits, have citablished a "Five Foot midwives, etc., throughout the Japanese Empire | Nine Club." Every member must be not shorter | at the end of 1892:-Physicians, 42,899 (or | than three inches under six feet, and several are 10.44 physicians per ten thousand persons); well over the prescribed limit. They are all midwives, 33 016; medical dispensers, 2,836; fair to look upon. All ride in the Park, and the druggists, 13,225; public hospitals, 198; private whole club is to meet once a fortnight at the different members' houses.

ACCORDING to the N. C. Daily News the Ger- A WELL-KNOWN Tokyo barrister is stated to spite of all probibitory enactments, so it is as well to make the gambling answer a good purpose and to ensure its proper regulation.

> THE N. C. Daily News of March 30th, says:-There seems to be still plenty of money bere seeking safe investments. It was mentioned in an advertisement in our columns on the 22nd inst., that applications for Tls. 27,500, being the unallotted portion of the Shanghal Waterworks' Company's 6 per cent, debentures (Tis. 100,000 in ali) would be received until 4 p.m. on Wednesday last. We are informed that in reply to this, applications were received for Tis. 52,500 at rates varying from 13 per cent, premium to par. Applicants at a premium received in full, while applications at par only received 40 per cent.

THE Singapore Advertiser gives the following yarn, which on the face of it looks extraordinary, to say the least :- "There is now in Malacca a Stamboul European Turk, an Islam Missionary as he calls himself, going round the East collecting subscriptions from his co-rellationists for the erection of a morque at Zambrzi, South Africa. He speaks Arabic, Turkish, and English fluently, the last language being imparted to him while a student in England. He is about 40 years of age, very white skinned, with Anglo-Saxon hair and light blue eyes. He is a B. A. of Christ Church College, Cambridge, and has a younger brother at present studying at Oxford. His father is the Premier to the Sultan Bokhara, Arabia."

THAT the hand-carts used by Chinese contractors for the conveyance of timber from one part of the colony to another should be licensed just as other vehicles are there can be but little doubt for at present they are not only a nulsance, especially when being dragged along Queen's Road during business hours, but a danger to the general public. This was forcibly demonstrated yesterday when one of these "rattletraps." loaded with long and heavy timbers collided with a 'ricksha at the foot of Duddell Street, upsetting the vehicle and pitching the fare out on his bead. Contractors are, as a class, sleek well-to-do people who could well efford to pay a reasonable licence fee and to do their transport business between daybreak and 10 a m. without in any way feeling aggrieved. Year by year the Mr. A. G. V. Peel on "The Australian Financial number of these carts is increasing, and there can be no doubt that were they under some sort of supervision and control it would be an advantage rather than otherwise.

THE British ship Thermopyle which recently arrived at Victoria, B.C., from Hongkong, had a very rough passage across, says the Colonist: -Speaking of his trip, Captain Winchester says it seemed as though he ran into a heavy snow. storm about every other day occupied on the voyage. After leaving Hongkong the vessel was eight days getting out of the China Sea, ten hours of which she was in a terrific gale. worst storm experienced, however, was off Cape Flattery and in sight of land, of which she had lost view in the Orient forty-eight days before, In this gale the vessel lost a whole suit of sails Giving an idea of the severity of the gales passed through, Captain Winchester says that on some occasions the ice formed so thickly on the vessel's masts that when it thawed the crew were in danger of bring struck and injured by the big lcicles loosened. The ship had to heave-to four times, and was only able to carry her top-gallant sails for four days during the passage.

THE records of the local Police Court show from time to time that, shrewd as the Chinese undoubtedly are, yet they can be deluded, swindled, exjoled and hypnotised with consummate ease by their own countrymen in a manner which is truly surprising when the ability and education of some of the crejulous patrons of crafty fortune-tellers and sorcerers is taken into account. And the magisterial proceedings to-day were marked by a fresh example of the child-like simplicity of an adult Chinaman, an engineer to wit, who called in at a swell fortune-teller's salon situated in Oueen's Road Central on the 20th instant have his fortune told. He hagn't told all his story yet (when he has finished his pitifo tale it will doubtless prove interesting "copy") but from what he stated to Mr. Wodehouse this morning it appears that a clever conjuring trick, equal to anything performed at a first-class Spiritualist's stance, was practised on him and that as the "Wise Man of the East" foretold a very prosperous career for the mechanic, after he had paid fees amounting to upwards of \$10 for several interviews, he handed a sum \$700 in cold cash to the sage, who at once agreement had been entered into between Canada said-" I will keep the money to use at the and Queensland as to reciprocal trade relations. Ne Tai Cheone Law Temple at Canton where He will provably return to Bilsbane in six where I will chin-chin Joss for you. Your weeks, \$200 will be sure to bring you in forty millions." sent blm home, with a piece of light-blue silk | buctoo, in the African Sahara. The French Joss cloth. The \$200 had not been returned soldiers killed 150 natives. to bim and he had seen nothing of the \$40,000 000 1 The case stands adjourned till to-morrow morning.

WARRANT OFFICERS' CLUB.

FAREWELL SMOKING CONCERT,

At the Naval Warrant Officers' Club, Blue Buildings, last night, there was a well-attended of bullion in the Treatury, amounting to and most successful smoking concert, in honour | 55,000,000 dollars, and also for the rapid cuinage of the new arrivals by the Tamer and the home- of builton. ward-hound contingent both by the "trooper" and the Imperiouse.

there were several vacancies in the executive to be filled. Mr. Martlew, the new boats detended, was adjourned till Batunday foremoon, | all-goograed bearty votes of thanks for having | decimed.

THE retiring French Minister to Peking, with | devoted so much time and given valuable assistance to the Club in spite of having been so busily engaged in other directions. The election for Marscilles, on sick leave, with Mrs. Denby. of a new committee was deferred until the Several official calls were made before leaving, arrival of the new flagship Centurion, expected about April 20th.

The following programme was carried through in a most satisfactory manner :-- . Comic song "Hamlet"Mr. S[ms.] Song "When the Robius nestagain" Mr. Newbury.

Encore-Ballad " Powder Monkey." Ballad "Village Blacksmith" Mr. Wingent, Comic song "That was me"Mr. South. Encore -- Comic song "The Piano Girl." Ballad "The island home of an Englishman" ...

Comic song "Ting-a-ling"Mr. Bosanquet.

Ballad "Tar's farewell"Mr. Manning.

INTERVAL (Supper).

Ballad, "Erln is my home ".......Mr. Mulligan. Comic song "The Missionary" Mr. Harris.

Mr. Chaudet. Comic song "Don't, brethren, don't!"...Mr. South. Bacors-Comic song "I could do with a bit," Ballad " Red. Whith and Blue "... Mr. Martlew. Recitation "Gibraltar".....Mr. Mulligan. Comic song "The Inquest"......Mr. Griffiths, Comic song "The same old Spot" ... Mr. South. Coster song "Lize"Mr. Chaudet. Comic song "The Five o'clock Bus 'Mr. Wingent. Ballad "Nancy Lee".....Mr. Hatfield. During the evening several toasts were given, and were received with regular naval heartiness. The chairman gave "H.M.S. Impirisuse," and spoke in glowing terms of the men of the flagship. Mr. Hatfield gave "The President," who he said had had so little leisure time that is was really surprising how, much he had done for the Club, and everybody regretted his departure. Other speakers referred to the committee and also to the hon. secretary, who had given up practically the whole of his spare time to the management of the institution, with most

LATE TELEGRAMS.

beneficial results: and the ancient motto "Wel-

come the coming, speed the parting guests" was

thoroughly and enthusiastically honoured.

LONDON, February : 6th. The loss incurred by the introduction of the ight-hours system in connection with the War Office is to be recouped by a reduction in sickpay and overtime, and by the abolition of pay-

ment for bank holidays. Further arrests of anarchists have been made n Paris, and another bomb has been found at

Anarchists, fearing arrest, are leaving London

or the Continent. M. Jean Grave, a well-known French writer. has been sentenced in Paris to two years imprisonment and fined 1,000 francs for having published a book extolling anarchy.

A bomb has been thrown into a theatre at Pisa, in Italy. It exploded, but fortunately no serious injury resulted. A bomb has been exploded in a small botel

n Paris. No injury was caused. A meeting will take place at Abbazziz, in Italy, at the end of March, between the Czar of Russia, the Emperor William of Germany, the Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria, and King Humbert of

destructive cyclone has passed over Mauritius. During the height of the storm a train was bl. wn ever a bridge into a river. Fifty persons were drowned or killed, and many others

were injured. The Daily Chronicle condemns the minute of Crisis of 1893," which proved to be an unofficial essay by a junior clerk in the Treasury. Nothing could afford, it says, greater or more just provocation for entire separation of the colonies than for responsible colonial statesmen to be

lectured by junior clerks. A great fire has occurred at Bellamy's Granaries, at Rotherhithe. An immense amount of damage has been done. The dock is piled with dibris reaching to a height of 50 feet. Carbutt's rice milis, at Bermondsey, have been

burned down. The Times says that the decision of the Melbourne Board of Works to borrow locally

has produced a good effect in the City. Mr. F. O. Licht, the Magdeburg expert in beet sugar, states that the past five months' produc-. tion in Europe shows an increase of 199,000. tons. He estimates that the campaign will result in a surplus of 432,000 tons.

Further amendments have been made in the United States Tariff Bill, with the view of conciliating the sugar and coal interests.

February 27th, It is reported from Moscow that a squadron of Russian dragoons observed some Prussian Ublans firing at a frontier post bearing the Rus ian Imperial arms. The Russians requested them to desist, but, receiving a refusal, the Russian dragoons attacked the Uhlans and drove them back, pursuing them into Prussian, territory.

At the annual meeting of the Colonial Institute this afternoon a hot discussion took place on the question of amalgamation with the Imperial

Several were killed on both sides during the

The Fellows reaffirmed their decision to refuse

amaigamation. Captain Francis, an officer of Commander Raaf & Boer Rangers, has denied the truth of the report that he informed a press representative that he was instructed on behalf of the Bilish South Africa Company to take no prisoners in the fighting with the Matabeles : that he bimself shot two prisoners, while his men shot four; or that he saw wounded Matabele prisoners shot.

February 28th. · In the course of an interview at Queenstown, of Sir Thomas M'liwraith stated that a satisfactory

Colonel 'Joffre's French column has had Then the sage treated him to a cup of tex and repeated encounters with the ratives at Time

March 2nd, Mr. James Bryce, Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, has been appointed chairman of the Royal Commission on Eccondary Education. There are three lady members on the Commission.

The United States House of Representatives has adopted Scuator Bland's bill providing for the issue of silver certificates on the seigniorage

Advices from Calcutta report that the Abortribesmen made a descent upon a settlement in Before entering on the musical programme, Assam, and kille i 30 Sepays, besides capturing 20 prisoners

> ADELAIDE, March 3rd. The discord among the "New Australia"

LONDON, March 3rd.

yesterday. An investigation has been held in Germany into the circumstances of the terrible explusion which occurred on board the new German warship Brandenburg, while in Kiel harbour on 16th February, and which ended in great loss of

The result of the inquiry goes to show that the explosion was caused by a defective safety-valve. The taxation proposals and demands for absolute powers rut forward by Signor Crispi. the Italian Premier, are bitterly opposed in the Italian Chamber of Deputies, and it is likely that a dissolution will ensue.

The Czar of Russia has expressed the opinion that the adoption of the tailff arrangements under the Russa-German commercial treaty will be the means of improving the future relations between Russia and Germany,

A telegram from Capetown states that Sebele the refractory Bechuana chief, has submitted to the British in connection with the occupation of Hechuanaland, and the force of Cape Mounted Rifles stationed on the border has been with-

Carnegie's Steel Company, Pittsburg, U.S.A., of which Mr. Andrew Carnegie is one of the principal partners, has been fined £28,000 for having supplied defective armour for a warship in the United States Navy.

The selection of Lord Rosebery as Mr. Gladstone's successor is favoured both in Germany and Austria.

It is expected that the Parliamentary programme of Lord Rosebery to be submitted as the policy of his Government will be a very advanced one, and it is believed that it will include the introduction of a bill into the House of Commons limiting the veto of the House of Lords.

The Parnellite members of the Irish party denounce Mr. Gladstone as a traitor for

resigning. Mr. H. Labouchere, M.P. for Northampton, has addressed an official letter to the Right Hon. Mr. Edward Marjoribanks, M.P., the chief Gladstonian whip and Patronage Secretary to the Tressury, denouncing the secrecy which has been observed in connection with Mr. Gladstone's resignation, and asserts that it sayours of cabal and intrigue. Mr. Labouchere adds that the claims of Sir William "arcourt, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, to succeed Mr. Gladstone are paramount. The members of the Radical Party, he says, demand that the new Piemier should be selected from the House of Commons, otherwise he (Mr. Labouchere) and 20 other members of the party will vote against the Ministry.

Mr. J. E. Ellis, M.P. for Rushcliffe, also wrote a let er to Mr. Marjoribanks, based on the same lines as Mr. Labouchere's communication. The Parneillies threaten to desert, Mr. Gladstone's successor.

reserved, but alarmed. The Radical press supports the selection of

Lord Rosebery as the new Premier. It is expected that Sir William Harcourt will continue to serve in the Cabinet under the leadership of Lord Rusebery.

March Ath. It is officially announced in the Gazette that her Majesty the Queen has accepted the resignation of Mr. Gladstone, and has appointed the

Exil of Rosebery as Premier. Lord Rosebery will have an audience of the Oue is to-morrow.

The Observer states that Lord Rosebery was reluctant to accept the office of Premier, but that he yielded to an almost universal desire on the part of the Liberal party that he should succeed Mr. Gladstone, in order to avert a grave crisis. Mr. Gladstone will go on a visit to the Continent till the end of the spring.

LONDON, March 5th.

The Times, in an article to-day severely censures Sir George Dibbs for his criticism of Mr. A. G. V. Peel's paper on "The Australian Crisis of 1893." The paper says that Sir George Dibbs has

raised a "storm in a tea cup," and that he is "tilting at windmills."

The circumstance that Sir George' Dibbs has had a merely colonial training is not, the Times considers, a sufficient excuse for the reply to Mr. Peel and the ignoring of the Imperial Treasury. especially when the Treasury made a statement in explanation that Mr. Peel's paper was unofficial, and had not been published by authority. The Times concludes by remarking that the

Governments of Australian colonies too often neglect official courtesy in their dealings with the Imperial authorities.

It has been ascertained that numerous anarchists in Paris have been regularly levying blackmail on the French nobility of the city. It is also asserted that a section of the latter voluntarily pay blackmail to the leaders of the anarchists in order to secure the safety of themselves and families from assassination and

outrage. News from South Africa states that Captain Dawson, who was despatched with a detachment of troops to the scene of the massacre of Captain Wilson's party by the Matabeles, in order to bury the bodies of the victims, has returned from his mission. He states that he found 24 skulls within a radius of 15 yards. All were buried in one grave, over which was placed a wooden cross, bearing an inscription to the memory of the brave men who fell in the gallant fight against the Matabeles. Lo Bengula died of fever on 23rd January at a place 40 miles south of the Zambezi. He was nearly alone at

the time of his death. The Times states that a rumour is current to the effect that Sir George Otto Trevelyan, Bart., Secretary for Scotland, is to be appointed to succeed the Earl of Hopetonn as Governor of Victoria, in order to make room for the Right Hon. Edward Marjoribanks, M.P. (Patronage Secretary to the Treasury), in the Cabinet.

The Bank of Australasia brought an action for libel against the proprietor of Whitaker's Almanac for including that bank among its list of bank fallures.

The defendant tendered an applogy, and withdrew the bulk of the issue. The Plaintiffs consented to a verdict with £1 damages, The Nationalist section of the Irish party intend to present Mr. Gladstone with an address In recognition of his efforts to secure Home Rule

for Ireland. Mr. Gladstone's resignation was referred to from the pulpit in many London churches yes-

Mr. Gladstone has written to Lord Rosebery,

promising to aid him in his new sphere if neces-The news of Lord Rosebery's accession to the

Premiership has been received with great pleasure by the British in Egypt, and it is believed that it will be the means of strengthening the position of England in that country, It is understood that Mr. Alexander Asher,

M.P., Q.C., Solicitor-General for Scotland, whose resignation was recently announced, retired owing to the loss his income sustained by his burnt to the ground. The damage is estimated have introduced telephones, have for a long retention of office. Thirty anarchists have been arrested in Paris.

The gaols are crowded, and are unable to seceive more prisoners.

police show that wealthy families in Paris have been in the habit of paying anarchists consider. leave for his post; mble sums of money as security against outrage.

Twenty-two Anarchists were arrested in Paris | socialists by means of the bullets of the soldiery. | Ban Bien affair. It is again, we believe, for the

Two thousand workmen employed in the the trial. Enfield Small Arms Factory have petitioned the War Office authorities to be allowed to return to the system of nine hours' wo k per day lestead of eight hours, recently introduced, on the ground that the conditions attached to the eight-hour system are obnexious. It is probable that a men be granted.

A treaty has been concluded between Spain and Morocco.

It is reported from New York that in order to pacify the Democratic Senators the Finance Committee of the United States Senate has conceded a 15 per cent. duty on woolen varus. besides numerous other duties.

The British authorities have prohibited an Austrian expedition, under the command of Colonel Jubovitz, from crossing the Soudan frontier for the relief of Slatin Bey and Neufelder. an Austrian held captive by the Mahdi.

A manifesto has been issued by the National Liberal Federation. It urges the union of the party in order to carry the Newcastle political programme. Lord Rosebery's colt Ladas, by Hampton from

Illuminata, still rules as favourite for the Derby. 7 to 4 being available about him; while Matchbox is next in demand at o to 2. A great open-air meeting has been held at Buda Pesth, the capital of Hungary, at which

the religious reforms proposed to be instituted by the Government were endorsed. It is estimated that 150,000 persons attended

Mr. James Huddart, promoter of the Canadian-Australian mail service, has contracted for the construction or charter of four steamers, with a speed of 20 knots an hour, for an mail service between Great Britale and Canada. The Dominion Government will subsidise this line

by a payment of £150,000 a year. The total amount of the yearly subsidy to be paid by the Dominion Government for the Canadian-Australian and the British services promoted by Mr. James Huddart will b

The Imperial Parliament was proregued to-day, The Speech from the Throne made reference to the lasting advantages likely to be conferred on the people by the Parish Councils Act, which had been passed during the session.

A telegram from Montreal, Canada, states that Count Villeneuve has been arrested there on charge of lorgery.

SIAM NOTES.

Bangkok, March 25th, 1894. Mr. Kellett, an American lawyer, arrived by the Chowfa on Saturday. He may start practice The Nationalist section of the Irish party is here if he sees a chance of doing as well as young Childs did.

> M. Pavic started yesterday with a caravan of boats, on his flying visit to the Laos States. Mr J. W. Archer will probably follow to-morrow. For being too late to answer the shrick o Justice, at the burglary trial in the British Consulate-General on Thursday last, Meines Downle and Davison have been fined Tes, 100 each. Pretty severe, considering that they only

had about fifteen hours' notice. Telegraphic advices were received from London yesterday to the effect that another sum of Tes. 142,000 had been awarded to Mr. Murray Campbell by the arbitrators in the dispute between him and the Royal Rallway Department. That, we presume, pretty well completes the half-militon claimed. On the strength of his victory Mr. Campbell is busy purchasing all his steel bridges, cement, more wagons, and so on, amounting to several ship-loads.

The new trouble between the Royal Railway Department and the contractor, we are informed, is due to the number of unemployed Chinese coolies who swarm along the line, robbing and rowing like so many invaders. The Department say that Mr. Mitchell sentthem up and then refused to engage them, whilst the representative of the contractor alleges that they are people with whom he has had no dealings whatever, and who went up "on spec." There seems to be something in this, for very recently a gang took up their quarters in some of the contractor's sheds and threatened Mr. Knight's life if they were not given work. They were got rid of in the same way as Charles Lamb's Chinaman roasted his pigs-by burning the houses down.

March 27th. On Saturday afternoon the Hydra pared the gable et d'off a Chinese junk at Paklat, as she was going down the river. The bill for carpentering will probably run into four figures.

When M. Pavic left on Saturday for the Looted Land, he was accompanied by seven French marines and 24 Siamese soldiers. A Government launch towed his boats up, and a number of officials and friends accompanied the party as far as Paklat. Judging by experience of the results of past hospitality, the Siamese will be repaid for their kindness by losing another slice of territory.

A correspondent informs us that last week a telabola went to visit a fellow-priest at a temple behind Wat Chang. The latter being away, his visitor left, taking away a slik robe and an umbrella as souvenirs. He was shortly afterwards arrested, and, as the authorities at the Borispah Court declined to deal with him, on the ground that he was outside temporal jurisdiction, he was handed over to the abbot of Wat Kunlays, who chained him up pending investigation. Next morning he was missing, having cut of his heels in order to escape from

One day last week, about q s.m., a large number of robbers entered the house of a Chinaman at Sakay-krang, near Chainat, and killed the wife of the owner. Her husband fled for his life, but returned when the robbers had leftafter taking 100 cattles. Whilst weeping over the corpse of his wife one or two of the robbers, who had been hiding in the bamboos, came and shot him dead, the reason presumably being that they were afraid that he would be able to recognise them. At Lakonchasee, a day or tw ago, some robbers attacked a house at 6 s.m. and shot the owner of some buffaloes, wounding

him, and then drove off all his stock. The Mahathakhri returned to Rong-lau on Sunday afternoon. His Majesty, who has benefited greatly by his excursion, landed about 6 p.m. It is probable that the cruise will be resumed before the end of the week. A correspondent informs us that in the meantime the whole of the buildings in the Palace occupied by the French last August are being rased, and the flag-staff removed. Orders have been given for the erection of a Summer Palace and garden on the same plan, at Anghin, which will be the

Royal watering-place in future. Observer. March 27th. at about 4,000 ticals.

Nan is established. M. de Pina is expected in | roller to be a "model settlement." The new

In the Italian Chamber of Deputies Signor have been arranged by the Siamese as to the Temple, Drum Tower, and others more modern.

necessary he would crush the anarchists and Kleng Kham, more familiarly known as the Slamese to constitute their Court and proceed to

bourhood of the New Road, opposite the Bangrak Police station, have been aroused by the been sent up to assist in the undertaking is a clanking of irons, and filled with pity for a number of unfortunate natives, who endeavour to crawl along with heavy iron bars on their in the city a few days ago to take charge of the strike will result unless the request of the work- legs. The ordinary chain is bad enough, but the bars in this case are so short that the unfortunate men can only waddle along at great | klang for a few months. inconvenience and pain. The sight is very disgusting, but this feeling is tempered when it is known that the chain gang are dacoits from Chys awaiting trial, and for the time being under Mr. Sheriff's charge. - Free Press.

MOUKDEN.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

February 25th, 1804. Apropos of the stir about onlum just now, le me mention what one district of Manchuria is doing towards helping the Indian Government to satisfy the demand of the Anti-Oplum Society A short time ago when journeying north, I dail met from a dozen to a score of big carts laden with opium. One night twelve carts, containing 84 cases of the drug, stayed in the same inn with me. From the chief man in charge I computed that the total-value of the consignment was about Tls. 55,000. He informed me also that the district I speak of (Payen-sho-sho) sends to Moukden about 1,000 cases every year, partifor local consumption and partly for transmission elsewhere. There were 16 insurance men in charge of the carts; all armed, and during the night several of them were told off to keep guard over their precious treasure along with the inn

Hitherto the main uses of the large military force of Manchuria have been to apprehend banditti in the mountain regions and quell disturbances, such as happened in Eastern Mongolia two years ago. But the lower order of soldler is a sort of man-of-all-work, and is put to any job that may turn up. Last year 1,500 of them built a fine dyke at Shih-fox-su on the bank of the Liao to protect the little town in time of flood. It is about two miles long and roft, high. The Government bore the whole of the expense But though it is a gratuity to the district i will eventually save a large sum to the Imperial Treasury, for in past years there has been a large outlay in maintaining refuges for the starving and destitute in the immediate neighbourhood. In the autumn of last year another detachment of soldiers from the same camp made a similar dyke at Shiu-mint'un about to it in length and to feet in height. Two years ago the whole of the west end of the town was utterly destroyed by a small river, which changes its course once or twice a year, and which arbitrarily and unexpectedly chooses any spot within a boundary of 30 11. The dyke has been put up to guard the town, and the various guilds have contributed about Taels 5,000 towards the Government outlay, but no attempt has been made to deepen or make a new channel for the river, and so recover the thousands of acres of rich land which have been devastated by its floods during the past few

The recommendations for honours for the alleged heroes of the slaughter of helpless and innocent people in Eastern Mongolia two years ago are still being presented to the Throne. Recently a sub-licutenant named Li in the little town of Chin-chia-t'un was raised to the rank of licutenant "because of his distinguished bravery in the fight referred to. His neighbours are all laughing at the episode, for it is notorious that he has not been out of the Chin-chia-t'un district during the past three years and had no more to do with quelling the rising in Eastern Mongolia than I had. I suppose he arranged the matter with his provincial chief for a douceur, neighbour, Liu, when telling us about it laughed and said that heroes were so numerous nowadays that the Emperor has some difficulty in finding sultable rewards for them.

This reminds me of the famine relief of 1888, and 1880, dreadful days for both relieved and relievers I After nearly all the money had been | Wm will introduce you to the oldest one first. Her distributed the local officials made a great ado name is Mrs. Jessie Russell, and she lives near the about collecting the names of all the distributors, city of New York, in America. She was born in upon them. As nobody saticipated such a has traces of former beauty. Her eyes are bright, and thing, there was naturally a flutter of excitement for a time, but our curiosity was allayed by the arrival of a couple of sheets of dirty paper at the British Consulate with the Taotal's compliments, Fortunately, at the time, the British Consul was an experienced and spirited official and in righteous indignation he refused to receive the "scrubby" documents. Incredible as it may seem. I can vouch for the whole incident as a fact. In no other civilized country in the world could such a thing have happened. - Shanghai Mercury.

NANKING.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

19th March, 1804. After a number of days of very welcome rain accompanied by very unwelcome cold winds that plerced one to the marrow, we are now having a season of sunshine. Spring is with us and so is the ague. The chattering native comes for medicine and when asked what's the matter. points in a very expressive way towards heaven on the principle that "if you speak of the angels" you're sure to hear the rustling of their wings. Il pressed for an answer, he will say "the ague," but add in a hurrled, half-frightened manner, buh slang han, ie., "li's of no consequence," hoping by these magic words to avoid the chill, with which, it is said, you are sure to be foreign children have been suffering,

It seems hard to have to speak of our own youngest child of Auglo-Saxon blood feels it and locks down with an air of conscious superiority upon the proudest sons of Han that pass him by. A five-year-old boy was taken home to Kentucky. His grandfather lived near the edge of the city and beyond the house was a negro seltlement. When asked one day where his grandfather lived he replied : "It's the last house in the foreign settlement." His habit of thought had been fixed in China, and even in the home land he was still the foreigner; the negroes being the natives.

Our little community can hardly be charged with lack of enterprise. We are not living in The Government Railway Bungalow at a treaty port, but in one of the most conservative Ayuthia caught fire on Friday evening and was old cities of China, yet we have built a road, Ayuthia caught fire on Friday evening and was burnt to the ground. The damage is estimated have introduced telephones, have for a long highly of Seigel's Syrup," she says. We should agree time had our own post-office, and now it is with her in that upinion, for a remody that will in a seriously proposed to issue postage; stamps. few weeks put an end to a case of chronic indigestion Hardonin at Bangkok, when the Consulate at | We need only police buildings and a steam Documents which have been seled by the Bangkok about the beginning of May, about stamps will of course be in great demand by so fortunate as to have lived more than a century which time M. Hardonin, Consul at Nan, will philatelists, for they will probably be adorned without an illness; the others (still more fortunate) with etchings of Nanking's famous buildings; Nothing definite appears to be known or to the Porcelain Pagods, Ming Tombs, Rafterless of recovery. Crispi, the Framier, declared that if it became trial of the "compables" in the affair of Tong It is calculated that we shall derive such a off in this quer world, [Adel.

revenue from their sale that we shall at once be able to supply the few things that are still lacking. The mouth of the canal near the steamer landing has become badly choked with sediment, For the last few days residents in the neigh- and a large number of soldiers have been set to work to open it. A steam dredger which has

> great curlosity to the natives. His Excellency Lu Kia-kich of Fuklen arrived Foreign Office during the absence of the Taotal. Ta'ai Ta-jen, who is being transferred to Chin-

> The French gonboat Comète stopped here two or three days last week, leaving on Friday for Shanghai.-N. C. Dally News.

TIENTSIN.

(FROM A CORRESPONDENT.) March 22 d.

I do not know if the papers have yet chronicled the following appointments :- Yuan, the Chinese Agent at the Court of Cores, is about to be transferred to the Haikuan Taotaiship of Wenchow, and will be succeeded in his important position at Seoul by P'an Taotai, who has for the last four or five years assisted Mr. Lo Fengloh at the Admiralty in Tientsin. Mr. P'an was in London and Paris for some time as an attache, and is one of the few Chinese gentlemen conversant with foreign affairs. Mr. Yuan's advancement has been extremely rapid, but not beyond his desert. Since his arrival in Seoul some sort of order has been evolved in that hotbed of intrigue. The old elements of discord are still there, but Mr. Yuan has, by his ability and strong personality, been more than able to hold his own in the struggle. He has been very judicious in applying the best lubricant to avoid friction and to make the wheels of a corrupt court move smoothly. His intelligence department has been admirably worked, and his promotion to a lucrative billet has been well carned and is as popular as these things can be among

Trade has been resumed with greater activity than was generally anticipated. Although there is understood to be a marked decrease in the quantity of piece goods in Shanghal, the vessels of the fleet have been bringing good cargoes, and our bund is apparently more crammed than ever with produce. The weather is balmy and spring-like: so far there is a total absence of wind and di comfort ; it is quite unseasonable, and more like May than March. We usually regard a windy spring as a healthy spring, and are hoping that the equinox will bring us a dash of that 'brave North-caster' which so invigorated Charles Kingsley. Social affairs are now on the ebb, but those

of sport are coming up on a strong flood. Training began this week, but it is too early yet to talk of racing prospects. The annual meeting of the Race Club was held two or three weeks ago; the weather thereat was threatening squalls,' but thanks to a strong chair, it cleared Several decisions of the previous year were rescinded, but doubtless the Secretary has sent you an account of it. It is most satisfactory to record that Tientsin is now learning to conduct itself with propriety at its public meetings, Recrimination and rampage are becoming yearly less obvious; speakers now address the chair and the hearers refrain from interruptions and private conversation. The annual meeting of the Tennis Club succeeded the Race Club meeting, and was marked with even greater decorum and pertinency of speech. Messrs. Tulloch, Hughes and McLeish are the committee for the year. At the last meeting of the Debating Society, we had a novelty in the way of a "Lay Seimen" by Mr. McLeish. There was no doubt as to the 'lay! nature of the lecturer's remarks, which were on the subject of Anti-Pessimism: there was a capital debate afterwards in which the Rev. Geo. Candlin showed his remarkable aptitude as an extemporaneous speaker. All the papers read before the Society this year have been provocative of really good

THREE FORTUNATE WOMEN.

debates.-N. C. Daily News.

for the Emperor had signified his intention of London in 1787, and is therefore 105 years old. She bestowing suitable marks of his Imperial favour remembers many incidents of her childhood, and still become animated when she talks. She retains her mental faculties completely. She descends two flights of stairs to every meal, and returns without assistance. Up to three years ago she was a regular attendant at the Greenwood Baptist Church. Her sight is excellent; and she reads the newspapers every day, and takes great interest in the news from England. She has never had any severe illness in her life, and her appetite and digestion are almost as good as they were fifty years ago.

The second woman says: "Ever since I was a" child I have suffered from illness. Thirteen years ago a tired, languid, and heavy feeling came over me. The whites of my eyes became tinged with yellow, my skin was sallow, and hands and feet were cold and clammy. My mouth tasted badly, especially in the morning, and I was often sick, vomiting a sour, frothy fluid. I had a pain in the cheet and sides, heartburn, and flatulency. For four years I suffered like this, and I shall be glad to recommend the medicine that finally oured me." (Signed) (Mrs.) FRANCES EMILY SMITH, 491, Woodhouse Street, Leeds, January 25th, 1892.

The third woman says: "I have been delicate all my life. For the past six years I have always felt tired, languid, and week. I had a poor appetite, a bad taste in the mouth, and pain after every morsel ate. I was dissy, and often felt as if I was going to fail. I always falt sick, and would retch and strain, but could bring nothing up. There was a dull pain at the right side and a dreadful pain between the shoulders. I never knew what it was to be well. After being on my feet for a time my legs would swell very much. No doctor was able to help me, nor any medicine ; that is, up to the time I took the one immediately taken if you mention the name of which gave me my health back. I never felt so well the disease. There has been quite an epidemic in my life as I do now." (Bigned) (Mrs.) BARAH of chicken-pox and mumps, too, from which some | SHABMAN, Glinton, near Market Deeping, February

Why do we put these three women in a group—the children as " foreign children," but, sad or other- one venerable woman in America and the two others wise, it's true that though born in China they here in England? They are perfect strangers to one are neither "to the manner" nor "the manor | another and always will be. We do it to show how born," from the stand-point of the Chinese. We long and happily a woman may live if she only are aliens and strangers at the best, and the happens to occape the malady that everywhere youngest child of Auglo-Saxon blood feels it and threatens her sex; and also to show that those who have been burdened and oursed with it may be cured and once more taste the joys of health.

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THE ENGLISH MAIL. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s s'eamer Surai,

with the outward English mail, left Singapore at 5 p.m. on the and lustant, and may be expected thence fine weather with light breezes. here on the 8th. THE AMERICAN MAIL.

The O. & O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Gaelic, with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port, was north. The remainder of the passage had light Yokohama, on the 20th ultimo. The P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamer City of Peking. with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port, vla Yokohama on the 20th ultimo.

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ARRIVALS. PROTOS, German steamer, 1,150, H. Johannsen, 3rd April,—Salgon 30th [March, Rice and Paddy.—Wieler & Co.

Pasocrelan 24th, Sugar.-Slemssen & Co. reel Avochin, British steamer, 1,150, T. Rowin, 4th April,—Salgon 29th March, Rice.—Melchers & Co.

DEVAWONGSE, British str., 1,057, R. Unsworth, 4th April -Bangkok 27th March, General China and Manila Steam Ship Company-\$523 -Yuen Fat Hong.

THIBET, British steamer, 1,665, R. A. Peters, 4th April -- Bombay 17th March, and Singapore 28th, General.—P. & O. S. N. Co. ACHILLES, British stehmer, 1,480, C. F. Harvey, 4th April. - Singapore 28th March, General.

-Butterfield & Swire. NINGCHOW, British steamer, 1,735, G. L. Grattan, 4th April,-Singapore 29th March, General

-Arnhold, Karberg & Co. YARRA, French steamer, 2,044, de Maubeuge, 4th April,-Marseilles 4th March, Alexandria oth, Port Said 10th, Sucz 10th, Aden 15th, Colombo 22nd, Singapore 28th, and Messageries Maritimes.

THALES, British steamer, 820, H. Bathurst, 4th April,-Taiwanion 31st March, Amoy and April, and Swatow 3rd, General.—D Lapraik & Co. PROGRESS, German steamer, 687, J. Jessen,

Slemssen & Co. Fushun, Chinese steamer, 1,469, H. A. Lunt, 4th April,—Canton 4th April, General.—C.

M. S. N. Co. Monmouthshire, British steamer, 1,872, Godye, 4th April,-Bangkok 28th March, Rice.-

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CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICEL Toyo Maru, Japanese steamer, for Salgon. Guthrie, British steamer, for Shanghai. Zafiro, British steamer, for Amoy, &c. Ningchow, British steamer, for Shanghai, &c. Achillas, British steamer, for Amoy. Namea, British steamer, for Swatow.

DEPARTURES. April 3, Pigmy, British gunboat, for Shanghai. April 3, Kwangles, Chinese str., for Canton, April 4, Oceanic, British str., for Macao, &c. April 4, Ask, Danish steamer, for Haiphong. April 4, Pathan, British steamer, for Singapore. April 4, Activ, Danish steamer, for Hollow. April 4, Amoy, German steamer, for Chefoo. April 4. Caledonien. French str., for Salgon, &c.

April 4. Guthrie. British str., for Shanghai. April 4. Toyo Maru, Japanese str., for Salgon: April 4, Glenearn, British str., for Shanghal. April 4, Zafiro, British steamer, for Amoy, April 4, Ghazes, British str., for Shanghaf, &c. PASSENGERS-ARRIVED. Per Thibet, from Bombay, &c .- 107 Chinese.

Per Achilles, from Singapore.—B2 Chinese. Per Devawongse, from Bangkok.-Lieut, Onayle, and or Chinese. Per Thales, from Talwanfoo, &c .-- Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Mar hall, Master Myors, and 76

Chinese. Per Ningchow, from Singapore. -- 80 Chinese. Per Yarra, from Marseilles for Hongkong. Mr. and Mrs. Beauchamp, Messrs, de Silva and Spitzel. For Calcutts.-Messrs. Dring and Hamilton. From Colombo.-Mr. and Mrs. Hulton, and 22 Chinese. From Singapore.-Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Emily, Messrs. Siesson, Spiesen Dammeg, Garvey, Yam Thin, Yap Yam Tang Takaro, and Oyema. From Salgon.-Messrs. Miyada, Mee Hang Hee, and 118 Chinese. From Marsellles for Shanghai - Messrs. Itchersatchoff. A. Vissière, Aldis, Grant, Deancon, Appli, Vassilleff, Galvan, Montgomery, Jatzewich, and Oveyrini. From Singapore.—Messrs. Khoc Chong Bron and servant, Bret, and Davies. From Salgon,-Messra Valdenaire, Hamon, Le Mie, Tasser, Hugon, Botguello, Gautian. Mair, and Rocher. From Marseilles for Kobs.-Mrs. Bouchonoff, From Colombo, -Messrs. Oku and Yeamamoto, From Singapore,-Mr. Takahaschi, Mesers. Shibuya and servant, Nakazona, Okuey, and Yema Moto. From Marseilles for Yokohama.---Messrs. J. Taro, Chlebnikoff, Eiki Hicki, Okanir, and Ogata. From Alexandria.-Mr. Woulf. From Calcutta.-Mr. and Mrs. Good and infant. From Singapore.—Mr. and Mrs. Napier, infant and servant, Liout.-Colonel

Baker, Tren, Darherin, Avixi, and Le Roux, Per Caledonien, from Hongkong for Saigon,pore. - Mesers, K. Mong and Iver. For Colombo. -Brother Abban, and Mr. S. M. Arbuthnot. For Marteilles .- Sir Fielding Clarke and Lady Clarks, COUNTY, OF CARDIGAN, British , ship, 1,220, 1No. 7, Praya Central Mr. and Mrs. Woelz, 3 children, maid and amah, Mrs. Charpentier, Mrs. Bellissine, General Pernot Lieut. Lapeyre, Dr. Bastian, Messrs. J. Barton, L. FERNANDO, Norwegian back, 347, E. Petterson, Pils, Dubuffet, Charretter, and Lebrun. From Shanghai for Salgon. - 2 sailors. For Colombo. -Mr. A. Chinelewsky. For Marseilles.-Mrs. GEORGIETTS, American banks 436, F. Kasten, and Mr. Lemaire (French Minister), Mrs. and Mr. Denby (U.S. Minister), Messrs. Denby (I.M.C.) A. Metivier, Grevedon, Mittacy, Collomb, and J. GERARD: Co TABEY, American berk, 1,300, J. F. Pantucci. From Yokohama for Singapore .--Messrs, Hou and Suzuki. For Marseilles .--Mr. and Mrs. Cagenave, 2 infants, maid and secvant, Mrs. Hooper, Messrs. Suatare Kasaka, Yoshiaki Iwata, Kendo Maeda, Korokumaki, Iwasawa, K. Hamodo, Sallon, Jacuen, and

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gins and 3 children, Messrs. Tudener, Delmas,

Per Oceanic, for Nagasaki.-Mrs. Fawkes and OMEGA, British bark, 480, Brown, 9th February, European maid, and a Japanere. For Kobe - - Callao gth December, General Master. Lieut. F. L. Woods, Messrs. W. H. Ray and J. Orago, British burk, 246, C. B. Dasborough, 1910. Orange. For Yokohama.—Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Brookings, Mr. and Mrs. Murray and son, Ms. and Mrs. Barrett, Mr. and Mrs. Paine, Miss A. SEMANTHA, Billin Amasted ship, 2,211, D. P. of these PERFECT DISINFECTANTS, and Paine, Mrs. Lamden, Mrs. C. E. Crane and a daughters, Miss Wallace, Miss Hogg, Miss C. G. Hogg, and Mrs. Albertson. For San France Stampicto. British back, 570, Clark, 14th March, James or Shipping and large Orders.

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REPORTS. The British steamship Achilles reports that she left Singapore on the 28th ultimo, and had fresh to strong mensoon to Macclesfield Bank;

The British steamship Ningchow reports that she left Singapore on the 29th ultime, and had moderate to fresh north-east winds to lat. 10 easterly winds and hery weather. The British steamship Thales reports that she

left Talwanfoo on the 31st ultimo, and had moderate north-east winds and sea with clear weather to Amoy. Left Amoy on the and instant, and Swatow on the 3rd, and had light westerly winds and foggy weather to port.

The British steamship Devamenges reports that she left Bangkok on the 27th ultimo, and had light to moderate north-easterly and southeasterly winds with fine weather to Gap Rock; thence to port had light south-east winds and DECIMA, German steamer, 965. C. Christensen, fog. Passed the steamship Phra Chula Chome 4th April,—Sourabaya 21st March, and Riso from Swatow to Bangkok, off Three Kings

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STEAMERS. AIRLIE, British steamer, 1,496, W. Ellis, 31st March,-Kobe 24th March, and Mojl 26th, General.—Glbb, Livingston & Co.

AGNES, French steamer, 290.—Geo. R. Stevens. Salgon 1st April, Malis and General. BISAGNO, Italian steamer, 1,498, Tognasso Augusto, 20th March, -Bombay 10th March, and Singapore 22nd, General.-Carlowitz

BORNEO, Dutch steamer, 1,496, J. S. Theunissen, 3rd April,-Samarang 24th March, Sugar. -Tong Kee. 4th April,-Canton 4th April, General,- BYODO, Norwegian steamer, 771, Ch. Brekke. 2nd April,-Saigon 28th March, Rice-Nam Woo.

> CHOWFA, British steamer, 1,055, F. W. Phillips, 1st April, -Bangkok 26th March, Rice,-Yuen Fat Hong. CITY OF RIO DE JANEIRO, American steamer, J. F. Smith, 1st April,-San Francisco 8th March, and Yokobama 27th, Mails and

General.-P. M. S. S. Co. ETHIOPE, British steamer, 1,905, F. Wankel, 3rd April,-Salgon 20th March, Rice.-Nam EMPRESS OF CHINA, British steamer, 3,003, R.

Archibald, R.N.R., 27th March,-Vancouver 5th March, Yokohama 10th, Kobe 21st, Nagasaki 22nd, and Shanghal 24th, General. C.P. R. Co. FAME, British steamer, 117 .- Hongkong Government tender.

GWALIOR, British steamer, 1,648, C. F. Denny, 31st March,-Mojl 26th March, General,-P. & O. S N. Co. JACOB DIEDERICHSEN, German steamer, 6:3.

A. Hundewidt, 2nd April,-Newchwang 27th March, Beaus,-Carlowitz & Co. LOO Sox, British steamer, 1,020, J. B. Jackson, 3vst March,-Bangkok 23rd March, and Koh-si-chang 24th, General.—Yuen Fat

MATHILDE, Germin steamer, 600, P. Moos, 2nd April,-Canton and April, General.-Siemssen & Co. MEETOO. Chinese steamer, 1,338, J. W. Y.

Steward, 1st April,-Canton 1st April, General.—C. M. S. N. Co. NAMOA, British steamer, 863, H. C. Harris, 3rd April,-Foochow 30th March, Amoy 31st,

and Swatow and April, General D. Lapraik & Co. Nurnberg, German steamer, 3,207, H. Walter, and April, Yokohama atth March, Hiogo

28th, and Nagasaki 29th, Mails and General -- Melchers & Co. PHRA CHOM KLAO, British steamer, 1,020, Fowler, 20th March, -Bangkok 22nd March, -Rice. -Yuen Fat Hong.

PRAYA, 130, Captain MacIssac.—Hongkong Government Tender. SPONDILUS, British steamer, 2,658, N. Hocker, -Shewan & Co.

SORACHI MARU, Japanese steamer, 1,100, T, Hayashi, 31st March, -- Mororan (Hokkaido) "17th March, Coal.-Order. ICTORIA. British steamer, 1.992, Victor Perkes, '20th March,-Tacoma (Wash.), 28th Feb., General. Dodwell, Carlill & Co.

VINOSANO, British steamer, 1,517, A. de St Croix, 3rd April,-Calcutta 11th March, and Singapore 27th, Opium and General ...]ardine. Matheson & Co. SAILING VESSELS.

ABHER COBURN; American ship, 1:978, J. P. Butman - 13th March,-New York 20th October, Kerosene Oil-Reuter, Brockelmian & Costal ALTAIR, British bark, 100, Matthews, 22nd Jane,

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Ballast, Shewan & Co. dalwood Shewan & Co.

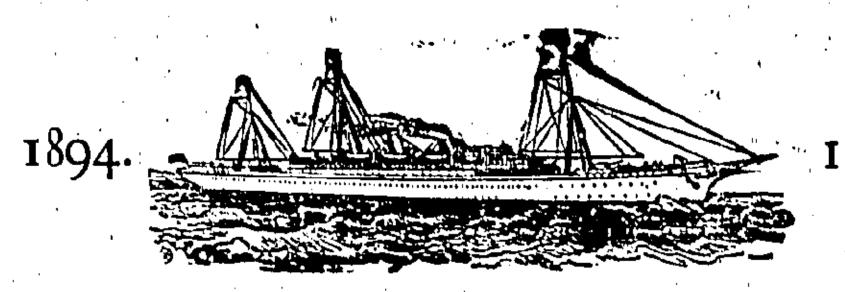
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